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This paper is in response to the Return Order of May 9, 2006. The Examiner's Answer of November 21, 2005 is revised as follows:

On page 2, replace section 8 with:

(8) Evidence Relied Upon

US Patent 5,622,437 to Alff, Issued April 22, 1997.

Handbook entitled "Knack of Selecting Magnetic Material" Published November 10, 1989, Japanese Standards Association.

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No response is necessary by the Appellant(s). The application is being returned to the Board for docketing and decision.

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